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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 28, 2006

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, Applicants submit this response and respectfully request reconsideration of the Examiner's objections and rejections.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 up to and including January 29, 2007. Applicants note that January 28, 2007 was a Sunday. Please charge deposit account number 02-0383 in the amount of \$450.00 for a two-month extension of time. Applicants hereby authorize and instruct the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to charge Deposit Account No. 02-0383 (matter 016295.1575) of Baker Botts L.L.P. for any additional charges necessary for the filing of this response.